GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2042
ANSWERED ON:10.12.2015
Closure of Toll Plazas
Ahlawat Smt. Santosh;Chinnaraj Shri Gopalakrishnan;Rao (Avnthi) Shri Muthamsetti Srinivasa;Saraswati Shri Sumedhanand;Vellaigounder Shri Elumalai;Yadav Shri Om Prakash

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the norms fixed for the toll collection on National Highways along with the details of the toll plazas closed during each of the last three years including the reasons therefor;

(b) whether the Government proposes to close certain toll plazas and if so, the details thereof along with the action taken thereon;

(c) whether there has been any resistance from the toll concessionaires against the closure of toll plazas; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken/being taken to compensate these toll concessionaire/operators?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) Fee for use of National Highways is being levied & collected as per applicable fee rules & provisions of the Concession Agreement. A list of fee plazas closed during last three years including the reasons are at Annexure-I.

(b) No, Madam.

(c) No, Madam

(d) Does not arise.